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This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2005, for which a response is due September 1, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fee to Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP's deposit account no. 03-3975 (order no. 087809-0269968).

Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants' attorney hereby petitions for an extension of time of three (3) months, from June 1, 2005 to and including September 1, 2005, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The fee for this petition is estimated to be \$510.00 (fee code 1253).

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Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 2.

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